

INDEPENDENT TAX-PAYERS

MEET IN CONVENTION IN SHATTUCK HALL ON SATURDAY EVENING LAST

And Endorse the Greater Portion of the Non-Partisan's Nominees.

M. L. HANSCOM, P. R. BOONE, E. J. WIXOM, H. B. CRIPPS, REUBEN RICKARD AND SAMUEL HEYWOOD THE NEW NAMES.

A Good Platform Adopted—Chairman Metcalf the Recipient of a Handsome Gavel—Votes of Thanks to the Officers of the Convention.

On Saturday evening last the delegates to the Independent Taxpayers' Convention met at Shattuck hall to nominate candidates for town trustees, school directors and other town officers.

The hall was crowded with delegates and spectators when H. D. Irwin called the meeting to order. As soon as he had succeeded in getting the delegates to take their seats he announced that the first business in order was the election of a temporary chairman.

George D. Metcalf was placed in nomination for this position and was elected by acclamation.

Mr. Metcalf, upon taking the chair, got right down to business and called for nominations for temporary secretary.

W. C. Bissell was placed in nomination and elected by acclamation.

C. H. Spear moved that a committee of seven, one from each ward, be appointed on Platform and Resolutions. Carried.

Similar motions were made in reference to Committee on Credentials and Committee on Permanent Organization and order of business.

The Chair then appointed the following named gentlemen to act upon the different committees:

Credentials—V. J. Robertson, Chas. Wilkerson, A. H. Broad, W. L. Rider, J. H. Bennett, C. H. Spear, Chas. H. Huggins.

Platform and Resolutions—Earl H. Webb, J. D. Layman, J. L. Scotchler, Ed. Dillon, H. D. Irwin, G. A. Schuster and B. J. Thurman.

Permanent Organization and Order of Business—W. P. Thayer, W. B. Rising, J. M. Foy, J. H. Cooper, H. T. Greenough, Paul Nickelman and W. P. Payne.

The Chair then declared a recess of ten minutes in order that the committees might make their report.

Earl H. Webb suggested that the secretary of the Executive Committee act with the Committee on Credentials as he was familiar with the names of the delegates, and it was so ordered.

When the Convention was again called to order, the Committee on Credentials reported that the convention consisted of 117 delegates divided as follows: First ward, 19; second ward, 18; third ward, 17; fourth ward,

17; fifth ward, 18; sixth, 19; seventh ward, 17.

The Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business then presented the following report which was adopted.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

We, your Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business, beg leave to report as follows:

First.—That the temporary officers be made permanent officers of this convention.

Second.—That the chair name two sergeant-at-arms.

Third.—That the chairman appoint an assistant secretary.

Fourth.—That a treasurer be elected by the convention.

Fifth.—That each delegate be assessed the sum of twenty-five cents, to be collected by the chairman of each delegation, and to be paid to the treasurer of the convention.

Sixth.—That each candidate for marshal be assessed the sum of ten dollars; that each candidate for clerk be assessed the sum of ten dollars; that each candidate for treasurer be assessed the sum of five dollars; that each candidate for assessor be assessed the sum of five dollars.

Seventh.—That the convention proceed to nominate candidates for town trustees, each ward delegation to make its own nomination; that the nominees for trustees be ratified by the convention as a whole.

Eighth.—That the convention proceed to nominate candidates for the Board of Education; each ward delegation to make its own nomination; that the nominees for Board of Education be ratified by the convention as a whole.

Ninth.—That the chairman receive nominations for the office of marshal, town clerk, treasurer and assessor in the order named, and that the chairman appoint two tellers to collect and canvass the vote of each of the above named officers, who shall then announce to the chairman of the convention the result as ascertained.

Tenth.—That the chairman shall appoint five members to constitute the Committee on Purity of Elections.

Eleventh.—An Executive Committee of fifteen shall be elected, two from each ward, to be named by the ward delegation, and that the chairman of the convention be ex-officio member of the committee.

W. P. THAYER, Chairman, JOHN M. FOY, Secretary.

The Chairman, Mr. Metcalf, then made a ringing speech advising the convention to be careful in the selection of a candidate and to remember that the officers nominated if elected would rule new Berkeley.

Earl H. Webb moved that when the nominees for marshal, clerk, treasurer and assessor be voted for, that they be voted for on the same ballot, the same as the Australian ballot. Adopted.

T. C. Kierulff moved that the Executive committee be enlarged to fifteen, two from each ward, and the fifteenth the Chairman of the Convention. Carried.

At this juncture J. L. Scotchler got the floor and said that he felt as though he would like to contribute something toward the Convention that would be of use to it. He then presented the Chairman with a handsome gavel with which he hoped that he would rule the convention.

The Chairman thanked Mr. Scotchler for his gift and the work of the convention was proceeded with.

Charles Underwood and Charles Wallburg were elected sergeants at arms.

Captain Morrison was elected as treasurer, and Charles Brédenback was elected assistant secretary.

At this juncture the Committee on Platform and Resolutions made their report which was as follows and which was adopted:

PLATFORM AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Chairman, we, your Committee on Platform and Resolutions, beg leave to submit our report as follows:

This convention recognizes the law of a new era for the town of Berkeley, and there is a feeling of optimism and hope for the future.

proper operation the improved methods embodied in the new instrument of government lately adopted.

Second.—The needs of the town are: good lights, good streets, good sewers and police and fire protection; and all these things in as much abundance as can be maintained consistent with moderate taxation. To this end it is recommended that a high school be established as early as possible in the central portion of the town, and we pledge our candidates to use every effort to accomplish this; that the electric light system be extended to all parts of the town, and that existing contracts with the lighting companies be enforced.

That the development of a water supply be urged that shall offer to all sections ample protection against fire, preserve the streets and meet the requirements of the constantly increasing rate of consumption, and that improved streets be maintained by a regular systematic rate of watering.

We pledge our officials to the prompt enforcement of all laws and regulations, and do require exact compliance with specifications before acceptance of all street work.

The Chair then announced that he was ready to receive nominations for Town Trustees.

The Chairman of the first ward delegations announced the name of John Finn.

The Chairman of the second ward delegation announced the name of Reuben Rickard.

The third ward delegates announced as their choice J. W. Richards.

When the fourth ward was called upon they announced as their choice H. D. Cripps.

The Chairman of the fifth ward announced the name of John Martin as the choice of the ward.

When the sixth ward was called the name of Byron Underwood was read.

The Chairman of the seventh ward stated that they had settled upon Samuel Heywood as the choice of the delegation.

The nominees named were then ratified by the convention and all except John Finn and Reuben Rickard, who were not present, subscribed to the platform. The Executive Committee was empowered to allow the absent members to subscribe to the platform during the present week.

The Chairman then called for nominations for school directors and the following nominations were made.

In the first ward, Geo. M. Robertson; second ward, Prof. E. J. Wixom; third ward, Prof. P. R. Boone; fourth ward, A. R. Frame; fifth ward, G. A. Norton; sixth ward, Ed. F. Niehaus; seventh ward, Chris Engelbreten.

The Convention then ratified the names for school directors as they had been presented by each ward.

The Chair announced that nominations for Marshal were in order.

John M. Foy, in a flowery and very impressive speech, placed in nomination the present incumbent, and from the applause that followed it was easy to see that no other candidate had much show at that convention.

There being no other nominees the nominations were closed.

For the office of clerk, C. K. Clark presented the name of M. L. Hanscom and the nominations closed.

Professor Boone, who had been trying to nominate John Squires ever since the convention was organized, now got the floor and put his favorite in the field for treasurer, and there being no further nominees the nominations were closed.

For the office of assessor Professor McDonald placed in nomination Isaac W. Wells.

C. H. Spear placed in nomination for the same office Tom Wilson of West Berkeley.

Balloting was then commenced on the four candidates and resulted as follows:

Marshal, J. W. Striker, 100 votes; Treasurer, John Squires, 100 votes; Clerk, M. L. Hanscom, 100 votes; Assessor, Isaac W. Wells, 100 votes.

Assessor, Isaac W. Wells, 65; Tom Wilson, 47.

The above named gentlemen, with the exception of Mr. Wilson, were then declared the nominees of the convention.

It was moved and seconded that the Executive Committee have the power to fill any vacancy that might occur on the ticket.

It was moved and seconded that the secretaries and sergeant-at-arms receive \$5 each for their services. This was amended so as to make it \$2.50. The motion was further amended so as to read that the officers receive a vote of thanks, and the last amendment was adopted.

J. F. Teague then moved that F. K. Shattuck be tendered a vote of thanks for the use of his hall but the chairman, Mr. Shattuck would receive the thanks after he had been paid his rent.

The Chair then announced the following named gentlemen as members of the Executive Committee:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

George D. Metcalf, ex-officio member; first ward, Mr. Robertson and John McCarthy; second ward, Thos. Addison and H. L. Whitney; third ward, J. L. Scotchler and J. M. Foy; fourth ward, T. C. Kierulff; fifth ward, Thomas Stevenson and W. S. Houghtaling; sixth ward, C. D. Maloney and Fred. Cleaves; seventh ward, George H. Phillips and Charles H. Huggins.

The following Purity of Election Committee was appointed.

PURITY OF ELECTION COMMITTEE.

W. H. Payson, first ward; Charles K. Clark, third ward; Joseph K. Garber, fourth ward; J. H. Bennett, fifth ward; C. H. Spear, sixth ward.

The convention then adjourned, sine die.

A Severe Accident.

Hubert Schwartz, a stevedore residing on University avenue near Eighth street in West Berkeley, met with a severe and painful accident on Saturday in San Francisco. He was at work in the hold of a vessel when one of the crank handles of a windlass got loose and fell down through the hatchway striking Mr. Schwartz upon the head inflicting a fearful wound.

He was brought on shore and as soon as possible conveyed to his home. Dr. A. de Marconay was immediately called and dressed the wound which had to have a number of stitches taken in it. This morning the patient is getting along as well as could be expected.

A. O. U. W.

The Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W., in session at Los Angeles, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Grand master, D. J. Toohey of San Francisco; grand foreman, William Vinter of San Jose; grand overseer, A. F. Mackay of Los Angeles; grand recorder, D. S. Hirshberg of Oakland; grand receiver, Samuel Booth, of San Francisco; grand guide, John Kaskell of San Diego; grand inside watchman, George W. Evans of Monrovia; grand outside watchman, D. S. Baxter of Siskiyou; grand medical examiner, Dr. J. L. Mayon of Oakland; grand trustee, P. Abramson of San Francisco; supreme representatives, Eugene N. Deuprey, John N. Young and W. H. Barnes of San Francisco; corporate directors, J. W. Ward, D. J. Toohey, William Vinter, A. A. Mackay, D. S. Hirshberg, Samuel Booth, H. J. Norton, P. Abramson, J. O. Levejoy, Daniel Sewell, W. J. Beatty.

Judge Shaw is now holding court in Oakland for Judge Clift while the latter is in the East getting married. Judge Clift will be absent several weeks.

A cause for the yellow appearance of the hills back of the town is the flower of the wild mustard which grows almost as fast as the fog.

Spring cleaning has become a necessary thing a little earlier than usual this year.

Some of the boys will have a very bad practice of placing powder caps upon the rails of a car road is being indulged in of late about this time. Something stronger was used on Saturday. Some day very

READ ALL THE ITEMS

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Specially Prepared Short Notes Upon Matters Appertaining to Berkeley.

NEWSY, BREEZY, VIVACIOUS, WITTY AND WHOLESOME—NEWSPAPER READERS LIKE TO HAVE THE NEWS IN THIS SHAPE.

While we Give the Regular News Suggestions are Thrown Out for Somebodies Benefit—Anecdotes are Retold, Events of the Day are in Compact Form.

Heavy rains and snow fell in Nebraska yesterday.

Leave your orders for the Berkeley Steam Laundry at Kelsey's Drug Store.

Ice is piling up to the height of thirty feet on the shores of Green Bay, Michigan.

One more convention this week and then the preliminary work will be complete.

Look out for snakes. A cosmopolitan newspaper reporter thought he saw some in West Berkeley today.

How an advertisement saved a woman's life. She inserted it in the GAZETTE.

A ladies' cycling club has been formed in San Jose. Berkeley's lady wheelers should get round to something of the kind right away.

Company C of the first regiment, N. G. C., has again won the Tobin Trophy. This is the sixth time. The shooting was done at Shell Mound Park.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Grand Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West will take place in Oakland, at 12 M., on Monday, April 22, 1895.

At the 100-mile relay race of the California Associated Cycling Clubs held yesterday, the cup was won by the Bay City wheelmen in the very good time of 4 hours, 56 minutes and 47 seconds.

Today the first surveying work for the San Joaquin Valley Road will be commenced at Stockton going south. Whether the Homer survey of several years ago will be followed or not remains to be seen.

Any person in Berkeley having a garden can raise his own lemons by planting the trees. It takes but a few years for them to bear well here. Those who want to see trees in bearing can do so by visiting the Berryman garden on Walnut street.

A valuable dog was advertised in Saturday's GAZETTE as being lost. It appears now that the dog hearing the newsboys crying out the paper, laid hold of one that was on a doorstep, turned it over, read the lost notice and immediately went home.

The hills immediately back of Berkeley were almost denuded of wild flowers yesterday by visitors from out of town. Others will grow during the week so that there will be a plenty for all who come to see us on Sunday next.

A very bad practice of placing powder caps upon the rails of a car road is being indulged in of late about this time. Something stronger was used on Saturday. Some day very

serious results will come from it. If possible a stop should be put to it.

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John F. Main of West Berkeley was made a happy man on Saturday by the birth of a son.

"What is nutrition?" asks a contemporary. That is just what we want to know. Is it a liquid, a solid or a compound?

Rev. Horatio Stebbins occupied the pulpit in the Unitarian church yesterday, having exchanged with Rev. E. B. Payne.

The jury in the striker's case in San Francisco were out four days but could not agree. They finally stood ten for conviction and two for acquittal.

Green Majors is the president and Mrs. Paris the secretary and treasurer of a Council of the Altruistic society recently formed in Alameda.

Charles A. Kelley, late of the Industrial Army, has gone to work for the Hicks-Judd Company. He is a printer by trade.

Arthur W. Noyes of Berkeley is in the employ of the San Joaquin Valley Railroad Company in the civil engineer's department.

While stormy weather seems to be at its height almost all over the country, in Berkeley yesterday it was as pleasant as ever it was in the garden of Eden.

Not a train left Denver yesterday on account of the recent very heavy snow storm there. From latest dispatches it appears that the weather had changed from cold to warm and the snow was fast disappearing.

The competition between French and American wines is now getting so strong that wine producers in France are getting alarmed, fearing that the production in the United States may in a few years destroy all of the French trade.

Another case of two women fighting to see who should have the man occurred in San Francisco yesterday. The fight was arranged for and went through in pugilistic style and the winning girl took the "feller" to the Sunday beer garden.

The white ants in India are so numerous that they would eat a telegraph pole in one night.—Ex. We had a white ant once and although she was not very numerous, talk about eating one telegraph pole in a night—she could eat a pear.

In France and some parts of America dinner napkins are almost universally tucked into the collar. In England and the East it is customary to lay the napkin across the knees. In California it is quite customary to tuck them in the pockets.

Judge Penwell reached home, on Saturday after a trip to Los Angeles, where he went to participate in the meeting of the Grand Lodge of A. O. U. W. He was much pleased with the outing and thinks the change, though of but short duration, has made him feel much better in health.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Seeley of San Francisco were visiting Berkeley yesterday. It is their intention to purchase property in town and become residents. They appeared very much pleased with our town and looked at a fine place yesterday and think very strongly of making it their own. Mr. Seeley is a prominent young lawyer and has a good practice in San Francisco.

H. F. Herzog, proprietor of the West End market, does not let the grass grow under his feet. He is on the wagon and will make a personal visit to every house in town. There will be no excuse for not patronizing your home market hereafter, particularly as it will come right to your door. Mr. Herzog keeps a first class butcher shop and his prices are as low as elsewhere.

Ex-Judge G. W. Tyler, of Alameda, is reported to be a very sick man. In fact it is thought that he will recover from the present attack. In December, 1886 he was suspended from practice for two years and until he should pay a judgment against him. He in October last attempted to practice before Judge Ellsworth but was fined for contempt of court. He was then expelled from the Supreme Court and his name has since been stricken from the rolls of the court.

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The Berkeley Daily Gazette, one of our most valuable exchanges, has enlarged to four pages, six columns to the page. We wish the proprietors success. -Watsonville Register.

TODAY, at sunset, the Jewish Passover commences and its celebration will be continued uninterruptedly for seven days according to Biblical injunction. The orthodox wing of the Jewish community has added an eighth day in obedience to rabbinical ordinance.

THERE is likely to be long legal fights between the Port Wardens appointed by Ex-Governor Markham and those appointed by Governor Budd. The former contend that there was a clerical error made in the records of the date of their appointment. It will be a matter for the Courts to decide and it often takes many months to get a final decision.

The people of California do not appreciate the wonderful climate that they enjoy. While they are basking in the warm sunshine and balmy air as it is wafted in from the ocean, their neighbors in Colorado and other States are suffering with intense cold, the roads are impassable and their live stock is dying. Hail stones, as large as hens' eggs, have stripped the fruit from their blossoms and the plants of their foliage. How different here.

THERE was an unusually large number of bicyclists out in Oakland yesterday, and as they whirled past one could not but wonder what the next generation would be. Every rider that went by was doubled up like a jack-knife and his quickly moving legs reminded one of the toy monkey climbing poles. It cannot be that bicycling is healthy when it curves the spine in the manner now ridden. Unless some way is arrived at so that the rider can sit up straight the sooner bicycling is abandoned the better.

OSCAR WILDE has broken down and now wants to commit suicide. He does not feel his degradation at all, but the thought that he must work at hard labor behind the prison bars is what hurt him. He has been used to all sorts of luxuries, and denied himself nothing. Now he sees the jail doors yawning for him and the only way he can escape them is by death. Had he put a pistol to his head and blown his brains out before he was arrested there might have been some pity for him, but now there is nothing but disgust for him and the harder his sentence the better the people all over the world will like it.

A CORRESPONDENT who signs himself Anti-Prohibitionist, wrote to the Advocate on Saturday evening and stated that there were thirteen places about the Berkeley station where liquor is bought, sold and drunk. We are under the impression that the correspondent does not know what he is talking about but if he does, he should come out like a man and tell where those thirteen places are and who conducts them, and then sign his name to the communication. It is not right for a person to injure the fair name of Berkeley by throwing out dark hints and insinuations that there is something wrong going on. If the evils exist and he knows anything about them let him come out open and above board and expose them.

THE INDEPENDENTS.

The Taxpayers held their convention at Shattuck Hall on Saturday evening and as we predicted it endorsed nearly all the nominees of the Non-Partisan convention, the only changes being made in the nominees for the office of Clerk, for which M. L. Hanscom was substituted for Charles Gompertz. In the second ward Reuben Rickard was substituted for Trustee in stead of Carey Jones, and in the sev-

enth ward Samuel Heywood was named instead of M. J. Acton. All the School Directors were endorsed except William Beatty in the second ward, who was turned down for Prof. P. R. Boone, and in the third ward Frank H. Wilson was nominated instead of Dr. Miner. The Non-Partisan candidate in the fourth ward, was not endorsed, and H. D. Cripps was nominated. It was a high compliment to the Non-Partisan nominees as the Independent Taxpayers after a thorough search could find no better men. The few changes made were not because the nominees were any better, but because they had always acted with the Independents, and it was thought that if they desired to run for office they were entitled to a nomination from that convention. The real fight will not begin until after next Wednesday evening, when the People's Party convention will have nominated a ticket, and as they will undoubtedly put up the very best men in their party the contest will be spirited until the evening of the day of election. The candidates thus far in the field as nominated by the Non-Partisans can not be objected to, as they are all leading and representative citizens of Berkeley and enjoy the confidence of the people. In any event the campaign will be a clean one, and there will be no mud throwing, consequently upon whatever candidate victory perches, the town will not suffer.

UNFAIR TREATMENT.

The close proximity of San Francisco and Oakland to Berkeley and the easy transition from here to either of those places has made the work of establishing mercantile houses with much more ability than supplying a prescribed local trade very onerous. Many Berkeley residents are men who are engaged in active business in San Francisco. We doubt very much if there is one single branch of mercantile trade carried on in the city by the sea which does not have some representative of it who has a home here. Many of these people do business with one another and the consequence is that a great many purchases for home use are made away from home to the detriment of our local tradesmen.

Some years ago the railroad company almost practically put a stop to this business, not perhaps with the intention of helping either Berkeley, Oakland or Alameda, but for revenue only. It had been the custom of people from the places mentioned to do their marketing in San Francisco and when there was so much local travel the carrying of baskets became conspicuous. In fact the suburban travellers were nicknamed the "basket brigade." A tax was placed upon every bundle and basket and it had to be paid before the passenger could get through the gate.

A great howl was made about it and finally the railroad company stopped from collecting the toll.

The fact that so much is purchased elsewhere prevents our local dealers from carrying much stock beyond that required for immediate use. Buyers only purchase in small quantities and run an account for even that. Then they complain that prices are higher in Berkeley than in San Francisco, where a quantity is purchased and the cash paid for it. Now is this a fair treatment of our home dealers? Give them the same kind of patronage that you do the San Francisco dealers and it will enable them to keep a larger stock to select from and their prices will be equally cheap. We talk a great deal about home patronage, but when it comes to practice it there is much found wanting in the balance.

Before we find fault with our neighbors let us give them the same chance we do outsiders and see if the results of that aid does not almost immediately come back to us in some way or other with manifold interest.

The Grand Army Encampment to be held in Sacramento on the 22nd of April is likely to be very fully attended. For the occasion General L. Tozer has been selected grand marshal and O. P. Dodge chief aid.

A man supposed to be Brady the murderer of Sheriff Bogard, was found in a freight car in Sacramento on Saturday. Whoever the fellow was he managed to escape although an alarm was immediately given.

Athens, Georgia, was visited by a severe hail storm on Saturday and Sunday.

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The air of a meeting room, tested in different places and at different times during the progress of the meeting, showed numbers of micro-organisms varying from 125,000 to 8,500,000. The air near the ground contained fewer than the air near the ceiling. For example, the air some four feet from the ground contained 270,000 before the meeting and at the end of the meeting 400,000, while near the ceiling the amount at the beginning of the meeting was 8,000,000, and at the end of the meeting this had been increased to 8,500,000.

Air near a burning jet of gas showed the largest figures of all. Thus, in the immediate vicinity of a bunsen flame the gigantic number of 80,000,000 was found in a cubic centimeter, or 480,000,000 per cubic inch. In Mr. Aitken's own words: "It does seem strange that there may be as many dust particles in one cubic inch of air of a room at night when the gas is burning as there are inhabitants in Great Britain, and that in three cubic inches of gases from a bunsen flame there are as many particles as there are inhabitants of the world."

Possibly tests on the air of smoking rooms would reveal still greater numbers. Mr. Aitken has not yet tested such air, but he found that a cigarette smoker sends 4,000,000,000 particles, more or less, into the air with every puff he makes.—Gentleman's Magazine.

SURE HER TOOTH WAS PULLED.

The Power of Imagination as Exemplified in a Dentist's Chair.

Dentists have a splendid opportunity of studying the power of imagination. An up town practitioner by way of illustration told a reporter about one of his women patients. She entered, accompanied by her husband, and pointing to her swollen face asked the dentist to extract the offending tooth. He placed her in the chair, and taking the small hand glass which dentists use put it into her mouth for the purpose of examining the molar which was to be extracted.

The glass had no sooner touched the tooth than she uttered a frightful scream, and, bounding out of the chair, rushed into the waiting room, crying that her jaw was broken. The united efforts of her husband and the dentist were for some time unable to persuade her that the tooth was not extracted and that she could not possibly have been hurt. After examining her mouth with the aid of a glass she finally became convinced that the tooth was still in its place. Taking her seat in the chair again, she submitted to the operation of extracting the tooth without a murmur and expressed her surprise that the pain was so slight.—New York World.

The "Breathing Cave"

In the state of North Carolina, in the western part, in the range of mountains known as the Fork range, is located the most remarkable cavern now known to exist. It is called the "Breathing Cave" and is certainly a most wonderful natural curiosity. During the summer months a current of air comes from it which is so strong that a full grown man cannot walk against it, and in winter the "inrush" of air is equally strong. At times a most unpleasant odor is emitted from the cave, which is supposed to be from the carcasses of dead animals which have been sucked in and killed by coming in contact with the inner walls of the inanimate, breathing monster. During the spring months, when the change from inhalation to exhalation takes place, the air is filled with pellets of hair, dry bones, small claws, etc., which are supposed to come from creatures sucked into this dry land maelstrom in times passed.

Many scientists have visited and revisited the place for the purpose of studying its peculiarities, but still the mystery remains unexplained.—St. Louis Republic.

His Hard Luck Story.

Mr. McSwat—I made a most annoying discovery this morning about a clock I've had in my house for the last six years.

Mr. Ohugwater—Turned out to be an eight day o'clock, I suppose, and you'd been winding it regularly every morning for—

"Oh, no. That's the old, old story. This is altogether different. I thought it was an eight day, and under that impression I had wound it regularly every Sunday morning for six years. My wife had been winding it the other mornings of the week and saying nothing to me about it. This morning she forgot it, and the blamed clock ran down."—Chicago Tribune.

His Misplaced Preposition.

The villain sneaked his gleaming teeth with the grating sound of the breaking up of an ice gorge.

"Ha, ha, my proud beauty!" he hissed. "I will yet bring you to the dust!"

The proud beauty smiled a wan little smile.

"Never," she twittered. "You are on the wrong tack. The man to win me must bring the dust to me."—Cincinnati Tribune.

Luck and Labor.

Luck is ever waiting for something to turn up; labor, with keen eyes and strong will, will turn up something. Luck lies in bed and wishes the postman would bring him the news of a legacy; labor turns out at 6 o'clock, and with bayonet and ringing hammer lays the foundation of competence.

Luck whistles; labor whistles. Luck relies on chance; labor on character.—Richard Chasden.

THE CHIMNEY.

With More Especial Reference to Drain Pipe and Tomato Can Chimneys.

"Speaking of chimneys," said an old soldier, "the chimney such as one not infrequently sees made of glazed drain pipe always interests me greatly. We've seen such chimneys run up outside of shanties, and we've seen them carried from the tops of chimneys over to the side wall of some much higher building erected next door and thence on upward above the top of it. There is one thing about these drain pipe chimneys that always surprises me very much, and that is that they stack 'em up with the flange end of the sections up. I never saw one built the other way. I never could understand this. I suppose the pipe is usually set up with cement or mortar in the joints, but I should think those upturned flanges would catch all the rain, and that it would work down the pipes, and that frost would get in there in winter and all that. I should think it would be immensely better to stack 'em up with the smooth end at the top, and I don't know why they don't do it."

"Perhaps my great interest in this simple form of cylindrical chimney is due to a more intimate acquaintance with and a great affection for another kind of cylindrical chimney, one more simple in form and construction. I refer to the tomato can chimney. Emblem of domestic peace and comfort as the chimney undoubtedly is, it is not always so, and the tomato can chimney, perhaps more than any other, characterizes the livelier vicissitudes of life. I know that my own first acquaintance with the tomato can chimney was in the army in time of war. And yet even there it has some flavor of peace about it, for we never had one except at times when we were more or less settled in camp and were within reach of a settler."

"And the tomato can chimney is by no means confined to army life. It is built by hunters and campers out, by squatters and pioneers and by early settlers in new regions pending the building of a more substantial chimney, and so I suppose it may be said of the chimney, after all, that wherever it may be set up and of whatever it may be constructed it has about the same savor of the hearthstone."—New York Sun.

The Sausage Machine.

The Chicago girl had been unusually manifest. She had told them all about the Auditorium—not mentioning its external dirtiness—and the waterworks building, which Oscar Wilde describes as looking like a choice collection of pepper pots, and she had naively and casually referred to one World's fair. When the New York girl said something about a municipality upon the island of Manhattan, the Chicagoan assumed a blank expression and remarked: "Oh, yes, I remember; we had to pass through it on our way to Europe."

Then she began to boast of one of Chicago's proudest works of art, not wholly unknown to the others, as, indeed, what is there belonging to Chicago that is permitted to remain unknown? It was a sausage machine of some sort, and it was remarkable for its celerity. "Why, you put the live pig in at the top," bragged the Chicago girl, "and in less than ten minutes the loveliest link sausages that you ever saw come dropping out below."

Even the placid soul of the Philadelphia maiden was stirred at this. "Indeed," she said calmly, "Well, our quiet Quaker City methods go ahead of that. We have a machine in Philadelphia where you put the loveliest link sausages that you ever saw in at the top, and in less than ten minutes the live pig drops out below." Whereat the Chicago girl's jaw dropped with a heavy clang.—New York Sun.

Silencing a Nonsense.

Speaking of the young man who talks in public places, I heard a retort made to him last Thursday night which was so good I was surprised never to have heard it before. It was at the theater, and the young man had seen the play before. He let everybody for four seats around know that, and he kept telling just what was coming and just how funny it would be when it did come. He had a pretty girl with him, and he was trying to amuse her. At length he said:

"Did you ever try listening to a play with your eyes shut? You've no idea how queer it seems."

A middle aged man with a red face sat just in front. He twisted himself about in his seat and glared at the young man.

"Young man," said he, "did you ever try listening to a play with your mouth shut?"

—And the silence was almost painful.—Washington Post.

A Letter From Grant.

Major James W. Hinkley of Poughkeepsie says that some future president of the United States will be greatly astonished some day by the receipt of a letter from General U. S. Grant. Mr. Hinkley and Colonel Fred Grant were cadets together at West Point. General Grant and his son Fred were both graduates of West Point, and the general was very anxious that his grandson should also be educated at that institution. Before he died he wrote a personal letter to the man who should be president of the United States at the time when his grandson should reach a suitable age, asking him to appoint the young man to a cadetship at West Point. This letter is now in Colonel Fred Grant's possession.

Talking Back.

Australia has a postoffice named Talking Back. The origin of the name is thus stated: "Someone discovered in the vicinity a large stone upon which was carved the words 'TALKING BACK' over the names of the convicts who had been sent there."

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J. R. Rush, A. Edgar,
J. T. Farrar, M. D., C. F. Townsend,
J. J. Rivers, R. H. Bosworth,

William Wells.

ALTERNATES.

M. Doyle, R. Cuthbert,

Daniel Beatty.

SECOND WARD.

C. T. Lindyer, George Stitt,
Fred Hansen, Jos. Edgar,
Chas. Jensen, E. S. Hall,
C. R. Bryant, John Stitt,

N. Ditch.

ALTERNATES.

B. P. Bull, R. Egert.

THIRD WARD.

J. G. Wright, S. H. Dekeman,
J. M. Doyle, A. C. Jacobson,
John Lavelle, W. P. Grant,
J. F. Holtzer, D. Clark,

J. N. Jacobson.

ALTERNATES.

M. Powell, R. Lloyd,

S. Wakeham.

FOURTH WARD.

Joshua Ryder, Geo. Swain,
A. B. Quackenbush, R. W. Good,
James Stitt, B. Goldsmith,
G. W. Munnif, Alex. Satterlitz,

S. Quackenbush.

ALTERNATES.

Mr. Cook.

FIFTH WARD.

John Gelder, N. Larsen,
Ang. Schuur, J. N. Withrow,
Geo. H. Wright, J. W. Oberg, M. D.,
C. B. Evans, H. Larsen,

Fred Franks.

ALTERNATES.

R. Schnider, S. C. Dickieckie.

SIXTH WARD.

D. McLaughlin, J. Griffin,
George Durrell, J. T. Remos,
William Farrell, J. F. Smith,
H. Hilton, F. Ralston,

Phil Serda.

ALTERNATES.

Wm Chase, George Inker,
Paul O'Conner, Frank Finchdall,
Sam Fisher, E. Fardig.

SEVENTH WARD.

Adam Tresh, T. Hoff,
Fred Speckman, George Weidinger,
Chas. Richter, R. W. Wood,
E. Everett, Chas. Liberman,

Wm Davis.

ALTERNATES.

H. Pine, H. Steiner.

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How to Earn Money.

There was quite a little business yesterday in selling bunches of the California poppy to people arriving on the cars. Enterprising young people will find this a good way to pick up many a nickel for several months to come. Visitors would rather pay something for the flowers than go to a distance away and pick them. Many people who ride on the electric cars just for the pleasure of riding would be glad to purchase bouquets if some one was on hand to dispose of them as the cars passed through the town.

The Hat Band Two Large.

Children, who owe everything to the management of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum for what he is, has evidently become afflicted with an enlargement of the cranium. Through the efforts of some penny-a-liner and the easy access to fake journalism, he has suddenly acquired a notoriety which will stick to him as long as he lives and be more of a detriment than help.

It is unfortunate that genius should get throttled in this way but it has always been so and probably will continue as long as life's struggle lasts.

GAZETTELETS.

The annual picnic of the Hermann Sons will take place this year at Oak Grove on the 27th of April.

Miss Stella West, who was run over by a hay wagon while riding along Shattuck Avenue on her wheel some days ago, is out again.

Messrs. Frank McClain, C. W. Klein and Chester Judson who were royally entertained in Concord on Saturday evening by the cyclists of that town, returned on Sunday evening remarkably well pleased with their trip.

Mr. Frank Gimbel of West Berkeley, a delegate from Berkeley Council No. 72, will attend the Grand Lodge of the Chosen Friends which convenes tomorrow in the Odd Fellows Hall at San Francisco. It will be in session several days.

Good for Santa Barbara. In two hours after the destruction, by fire, of the pavilion already prepared for the flower festival, money was raised and work on a new building was commenced.

There is quite a large quantity of clams dug every day on the West Berkeley beach and disposed of at the rate of 25 cents for a basket holding a peck. The variety obtained is a large blue.

The big seal which has been sporting about the bay for several days past was seen near the University street wharf yesterday. It moved along very leisurely and as it rolled over on its side appeared something like a whale.

Adam Dean, engineer of the Standard Soap Works, has recovered sufficiently from an attack of la grippe to be able to stand by the throttle again. Adam has been at the works so long that his absence seems to the rest of the employees like the minute hand off a clock.

On Saturday night last at 12 o'clock Owey Putzker and Fred Wilkins, both members of the Crescent Athletic Club, started from Berkeley for San Jose, where they arrived at a little after 3 o'clock. In the morning they returned and passed everything on the road, riding a distance of 115 miles, thus making the first century for the Crescent Club.

A good road and distance for cycle riders is from Shattuck Avenue down University to San Pablo and thence along to Dwight Way and up that thoroughfare to Shattuck. The distance is very near four miles and affords good opportunity for trying the speed of the various wheels.

A special meeting will be held this evening in Sam Fisher's rooms on University Avenue of the People's Party convention delegates from the Sixth and Seventh Wards for consultation regarding matters appertaining to the interests of the party. The time set for the meeting is 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. L. A. Cavillier of the Golden Gate Supply Company on Shattuck Avenue, North Berkeley, has found it necessary to have an office in East Berkeley. He has secured a place adjoining Wakeham's paint shop which will be open for business from 9 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m. A box for orders is alongside of the entrance. While he sells his goods cheap there is always an opportunity for a man to make a discount by paying cash.

The flower carriers on all cars which leave Berkeley are beginning to be numerous. For several months quantities of beautiful bouquets will be taken to the city for admiring friends. People from Alameda and Oakland are engaged in the same business. There is considerable rivalry between the different towns as to which can produce either the largest, the smallest, or the prettiest variety of flower. It is amusing to see the comparisons on the boats where all meet.

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HE INVENTED THE WHALEBACK.

How Alexander McDougall Perfected His Scheme of Cheap Freight-Carriage.

Alexander McDougall is the name of the man who invented the new famous, but for many years derided "whaleback" type of vessel. He began life as the son of a small shopkeeper on the tiny island of Ilay, on the north coast of Scotland, where as a boy he used to devote much of his time to the making and sailing of miniature ships. While he was yet a lad the family was obliged, because of bad times, to transfer its residence to America, settling first in Canada. Some of Alexander's early manhood's years were passed as a farm laborer, an occupation not at all to his taste. After he got out of that he learned how to make edged tools, but some time in the sixties he got a place as second porter on the steamer Edith, plying between Buffalo and Chicago, and from this humble situation to that of captain of the steamer A. Scott, long since wrecked, his rise was sure, though not rapid.

When Cleopatra's Needle, the Egyptian obelisk now standing in Central park, New York, was presented to the United States, Captain McDougall's attention was attracted to the problem of transporting masses and general freight in bulk. This was ten years before the first whaleback was built, but it was then that the germ of the strange vessel was born in his mind. Directly after that he was sent to Russia and other parts of the world by men specially interested to study the best methods for transporting freight. He made many recommendations to his principals, but nothing came of them. In 1882 he determined to settle in Duluth, then giving promise that it would some day be a great shipping port, and there he gradually came to control the business of shipping agent and broker, stevedore, etc. Meantime he had worked at his model ship whenever he could, having fitted up the attic of his house for a workshop, where he had a tank in which he sailed his model and other fittings. He found it impossible, however, to interest any one in his scheme. Indeed every one laughed at it, though, because of his business success as a shipper, shipowners and shipbuilders usually treated him with politeness to his face. At last, however, he got a little company organized to build a whaleback, his idea first being to construct barges only. The first craft was the famous 101, and though it was a queer looking boat it was a success in that it would carry more freight than any other craft of the same cost. The remainder of the story is soon told. At the present time there are more than 40 whalebacks afloat on the lakes and the Atlantic, and Mr. McDougall and all who went in with him have won great wealth. It is predicted that it will not be many years before whalebacks will float on every sea and haul from every port.

CAPTAIN GENERAL OF MADRID.

General Martinez Campos Was Injured by Pallas' Bomb.

The dispatches say that when the news of the recent resignation of her cabinet was unfolded to the queen regent of Spain that royal lady was decidedly annoyed. When you come to think it all over, it is not at all surprising that she was, for between the insurrection in Cuba, the trouble with the United States over the ill advised shot at the American ship Alliance and the rioting and other troubles in Madrid the life of the Spanish queen cannot properly be termed a happy one. Marshal Martinez Campos, who has been appointed captain general of the Spanish capital until the present storm there shall have blown over, is the same general who was so severely wounded at Barcelona in 1893 by the dynamite bomb of Pallas, the anarchist. He is spoken of as a little man, being only an inch or two over five feet in his stockings. His family is not a blue blooded one, for his father was a business man, and the general, with modesty quite rare, especially among persons of the Latin races, has always peremptorily refused to accept any of the honors that have been offered to him because of his services to the crown. These have been numerous and important, the most notable perhaps being the restoration of the late King Alfonso to the throne in 1874. Alfonso himself desired greatly to reward Campos with a title, and the queen did all in her power to the same end after the king's death, but the general has thus far been obdurate, and Christina has been obliged to be content with ennobling his two sons, both cavalry officers, one having been made Duke of Seo d'Urgel and the other Marquis de Baxtan. The fact that much of the present row in Spain is caused by the impatience of the military because of unwelcome newspaper criticism is a significant commentary upon the deplorable state of affairs in the land of the Castilians. Constitutional government and a free press seem to be anything but successful in Spain, and the developments there during the next few months are likely to be interesting.

Curls the Kaiser's Mustache.

The German emperor's mustache is curled every morning by a barber who makes this operation his specialty, and receives a fee of 5 shillings for each visit.

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Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State, over twenty-one and under 60 years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, not taxed, must annually pay a poll tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such persons to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under sections 429 to 434 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of \$500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one of over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Henry P. Dalton, Assessor of Alameda County.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

ALL PERSONS, firms, company, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, immediately, a statement under oath of all property, both real and personal, owned, or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1895, in accordance with the constitution.

Refusal or neglect to make a sworn statement of all the property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statements to the full penalty of the law—one hundred dollars fine and guilty of a misdemeanor.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed in the wrong name on the real estate assessment book, or who have purchased real estate within the last year, are requested to appear with their deeds, at the Assessor's office, and have the proper changes made for the year 1895. Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the book has already been commenced.

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Duchess d'User's Bad Investment.

M. Paul de Cassagnac has been saying that it was the Comte de Paris, and not the Duchesse d'User, who furnished £120,000 to the Boulangist committee to enable it to overthrow the republic and restore the monarchy. This, writes our Paris correspondent, is not true. The duchess, after she struck up a friendship with General Boulanger, thought of using him as another Monk. She brought him into relations with her royalist friends, talked him round and then went abroad to confer with the Comte de Paris on her scheme. She did not at once succeed. When she did, the Comte de Paris used very guarded language. He refused to advance "behind" General Boulanger, but was willing to act in a parallel direction—another example of his proneness to split hairs. He also said that he could not furnish ways and means for a Boulangist coup d'etat.

In answer to this the duchess offered to advance £120,000 on the Comte de Paris' bond. He here eluded incurring a recoverable debt by signing a paper in which he bound himself and his heirs to repay the money, but he made the recovery of the throne the condition. The bond was witnessed by a number of prominent Orleanists, who went into the Boulangist plan of campaign and headed the "parallel action." According to The Temps, they were the Duc de Chartres, the Marquis de Beauvoir, Comte de Mun, General Comte de Martimprey and the Marquis de Breteuil. The duchess made a bad investment, for the situation of the Orleanist party is now hopeless.—London News.

A Coeducational Problem.

For some time past there has been a very noticeable lack of harmony between the male and female portions of the freshman class of Boston university. Both sides claim that they have been misused.

The young ladies date their grievances from the time of the college social, when they say that not only did they have to serve themselves refreshments, but when the time came for closing the young men went home, leaving them to find their way home alone. In consequence of this the girls of '98 sent but very few "klatch" invitations to the members of their own class.

The boys tell a very different story. They say that at the social there were only about ten men from '98, while there were at least 60 girls. They say that they spread themselves as thin as possible, but that they were utterly unable to properly care for so many. As to seeing the young ladies home, it is known that one man started off with seven under his wing. They came to a parting in their ways. Three went one way and four the other. Just then the fellow discovered but 20 cents in his pocket, and he "took to the woods."

The upshot of the matter is that a men's club is to be formed by the men of '98 to protect themselves against any attack from the other side of the house.—Boston Journal.

Violinist Ysaye and the Flowing Bowl.

Soon after his arrival in New York Ysaye, the violinist, and Caesar Thompson, the other great master of the bow, strolled off together to the Waldorf. Ysaye does not talk very much English at the best of times, and after a couple of hours in Mr. Thompson's company his pronunciation had not perceptibly improved. Manager Johnston, who had come after him to see that he did not get lost in the shuffle, was keeping up the pace set by Mr. Thompson quite manfully. But Ysaye lagged behind and began to lose interest in things. Some of the party prodded him up and inquired what was the trouble. But his stock of current English was inadequate, and after making several abortive attempts at explanation in mixed German and French he reached over for a daily paper, and turning over to the amusement column found the display advertisement of a theatrical attraction then having a great run. He pointed to it triumphantly. It was "Too Much Johnson," and it was a full and sufficient explanation.—Washington Post.

French Presidents.

President Felix Faure is an early riser. He is up at 5 o'clock, studying at that early hour the "dossiers," papers, documents, etc., which have been prepared for him the evening before. That was also the custom of President Thiers, who entered his library at 5:30 in winter as well as in summer. Marshal MacMahon used to get up early, but he did not begin to work before 7 a. m. President Grevy, on the contrary, worked very late at night and did not rise before 10 o'clock. M. Carnot got up at 8, worked in a small room near his bedroom and did not go down stairs before 10 a. m. M. Casimir-Perier usually rose at 7 o'clock, took a walk in the Elysees garden and began his work by 9 o'clock.—Paris Correspondent.

Japan's Proposed Eiffel Tower.

Japan is to have its own Eiffel tower. The Eastern World, published in Yokohama, announces that a number of Japanese patriots in Tokyo have conceived the idea of so commemorating their victories. The tower will be 1,000 feet high, and the lowest story is to contain an exhibition of national industries, while the highest will be a Walhalla devoted to the statues of Japanese patriots who have died for their country. The cost is to be \$350,000, and European contractors are invited to send estimates.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Children Born on Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas B. Remally of Germantown have eight children, six of whom came into the world in pairs. Six of the children were born on legal holidays. The eldest, a daughter, was born Thanksgiving day; the second, a boy, on Washington's birthday, and on July 4, 1892, twin daughters arrived in the home. On the Washington's birthday just past Mrs. Remally presented her lord and master with a pair of bounding boys.—Philadelphia Record.